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Dear Friends:

You can make a difference. The Indian River County Lawyers Auxiliary's (IRCLA) 2017-2018 annual giving campaign has begun for the upcoming year.

The IRCLA celebrates 12 years of service this year and is the only lawyers auxiliary in the state of Florida! Our mission is to promote law and Justice through education and service. Your support along with our membership dues has been the driving force in sustaining our programs and serving the needs of children in our community.

By far one of the most popular and well-received programs we operate is Tools to Learn which is a very successful collaboration with the Indian River County Education Foundation. Teachers can use this program to provide much-needed school supplies for children in their classrooms. The Tools to Learn initiative along with our Title I Reading Project provide the "tools" and reading opportunities necessary to succeed in the classroom.

Another much-needed project is our Dependency Court program. This endeavor functions as a toy chest for children caught up in the dependency court system where they are often required to appear in court for hearings. It goes without saying that going to court can be very scary for these children, and the toys and activity books provided by this program are meant to help turn the visit into a more positive, less intimidating event.

The IRCLA now operates five programs and to continue our work in the community; we have set a very aggressive fundraising goal of \$5000.00 for this year. Our all-volunteer organization is proud that 90% or more of all funds raised go directly to benefit our programs and our mission. That means nearly every penny donated helps provide essential tools to our future leaders!

Enclosed please find a sponsorship form for review. With your financial commitment, you can play a **BIG** part in sustaining our organization and helping us fulfill our mission.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Warm regards,

Sandi L. Harpring

Sandi L. Harpring, President

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Checks should be made payable to one of the following:

- Indian River County Lawyers Auxiliary or Education Foundation (tax deductible donation)

ABOUT US: The Indian River County Lawyers Auxiliary celebrates 12 years of service this year and is the only lawyers auxiliary in the state of Florida! Our mission is to promote law and justice through education and service and to support our local Bar Association.

Programs sponsored by the lawyers auxiliary include the Dependency Court Project which provides toys and books to the courts for children involved in dependency proceedings. The 2nd & 3rd Grade Literacy Challenge serves a Title I school and over 60 children per month. This program gives each child one new book a month to encourage reading and help build home libraries.

The lawyers auxiliary also works to place attorneys and judges in classrooms during law week. Although the law week theme changes each year, the basis is always the rule of law while emphasizing open and accessible courts are the cornerstone of a free society.

Our newest program is "A Constitution in Every Pocket," geared toward 7th-grade Civics students who are each provided with a U.S. Constitution at the start of the school year.

Lastly, the auxiliary partners with the Education Foundation in its "Tools to Learn" school supply project, making school supplies available to children in public and independent schools in Indian River County through their teachers.

The auxiliary meets monthly, and membership is open to attorney spouses. For more information about joining please contact Sandi Harpring at 772-713-9042.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!